Our Carcanet.

THE ROBIN'S STORY.

"I built me a nest
On the great beach tree—
As cosey a nest
As ever could be.
I wove it with threads
To the beach tree bough;
And three little birdies
Are sleeping there now.

"One day as I sang
My 'cherry-chee-chee,'
A spry little squirrel
Sprang up in the tree.
I thought he was coming
Right up on the bough;
It makes my heart tremble
To think of it now.

"I flew like an eagle
Straight down through the air;
And soon he was running,
He could not tell where.
I pecked him and pecked him,
And flew in his track;
He'll stop to think twice
Before he comes back."

—*The Methodist.*

After Dinner.

"A bumper at parting," as the drunken man said when he ran up against the post.

Why is an old coat like an iron kettle? Because it represents hard ware.

The popular notion of genius is—of one who can do almost everything—except make a living.

It is one of the curiosities of Natural History that a horse eats best when he has not a bit in his mouth.

The latest definition of a gentleman is a man who can put on a clean collar without being conspicuous.

Why is a ballet-dancer a most inhuman creature? Because her greatest delight is to execute her *grand pas*.

The man who ate his dinner with the fork of a river has sprained his foot while attempting to spin a mountain-top.

A fond mother advised her daughter to oil her hair, and fainted away when that candid damsel replied, "Oh no, ma; it spoils the gentlemen's vests."

In Pennsylvania, when a female is saluted with a buss, she puts on bonnet and shawl and answereth: "I am totally astonished at thy assurance, Jebediah, and for this indignity will sew thee up."

The Western ladies are so fond of kissing that, when saluted on one cheek, they instantly present the other.

When a young man steals a kiss from a Lowell girl, she blushes like a full-blown rose, and says smartly, "You darsn't do that twice more."

"An editor and his wife were walking out in the bright moonlight one evening. Like all editors' wives, she was of an exceedingly poetic nature, and said: 'Notice that moon! How bright and calm and beautiful!' 'Could'nt think of noticing it,' returned the editor, 'for any thing less than the usual rates—a dollar and fifty cents for twelve lines.'"

A Scotch nobleman one day visited a lawyer at his office, in which, at the same time, there was a blazing fire, which led him to exclaim, 'Mr. ——, your office is as hot as an oven!' 'So it should be, my lord,' replied the lawyer, 'as it is here that I make my bread.'

The Troy *Times* gives the following as a true dog story: A family down town having a false grate in one of the rooms of the house placed some red paper behind it to give the effect of fire. One of the coldest days this winter the dog belonging to the household came in from out of doors, and, seeing the paper in the grate, deliberately walked up to it and laid down before it, curled up in the best way to receive the glowing heat as it came from the fire. He remained motionless for a few minutes; feeling no warmth he raised his head and looked over his shoulder at the grate; still feeling no heat he arose and carefully applied his nose to the grate and smelt of it. It was as cold as ice. With a look of the most supreme disgust, his tail curled down between his legs, every hair on his body saying "I'm sold," the dog trotted out of the room, not even deigning to cast a look at the party in the room, who had watched his actions and laughed so heartily as his misfortunes. The dog has reason as well as instinct.

KEEPING UP APPEARANCES.—"Can't afford it; I know very well my salary won't justify me in buying so many clothes; in hiring a livery rig every day, and such like—but you know one might just as well be out of the world as out of fashion," said a young clerk, who is pinched in means, hardly able to keep his head above water, but, withal, a willing subject to all the exactions of our "high-toned society." His noble independence, his keen sense of propriety, takes the last dollar that he has to fit him out for the next party; yes, and if his pocket book is "*steapped*," his role in society must be played—he runs on his credit for another pair of kids. A few years of his false life saps his manhood and brings him to a condition of the most abject slavery. Why will young persons barter away individuality of happiness, and cater to the whims and demands of extreme formal society, when their circumstances and common sense dictate that they should protest against such folly? We commend the courage, the manliness of a certain young man, whom we heard say in the face of these things: "I won't knuckle to all the exactions of the society in which I move when I can't afford to do it. I should really be afraid to appear at the house of my employer, dressed as some of my young friends are, for suspicion would mark me down as a thief. If society won't receive me as I'm able to appear, I'll keep out of it.

Young friend, if the money standard is the one that regulates the social circle to which you are looking, place your purse and character in the balance, and then decide whether that is the place for you. Do not entertain the notion that you can draw in advance on your monthly wages, or borrow an occasional "ten," to pay for this "fine suit" or that "gold headed cane," and maintain thereby a worthy standing in any society. If you would make the most of your time and talents, unyoke yourself from the bondage of sham life, try to be *yourself*; live within your means; cultivate an individuality that shall be the out-growth of the best qualities of your mind; and your character, thus nurtured, under these conditions, will bear the impress of reality and exert the most potent influences for good.—*Business Monthly.*

NEWARK.

Financial.

MUTUAL BENEFIT LIFE INSURANCE CO.

NEWARK, N. J.

Statement, January 1st, 1873.

Balance as per statement, Jan. 1, 1872		$22,341,795 81
Received for premiums during the year 1872	$5,344,168 51	
Received for interest during the year 1872	1,324,116 18	
Received for annuities during the year 1872	170 99	
Total receipts for 1872		$6,669,055 68
		$29,010,851 49
Paid claims by death	$1,911,444 72	
Paid endowments	49,301 11	
Paid surrendered policies	223,094 99	
Paid advertising and printing	44,904 89	
Paid contingent expenses	97,845 91	
Paid postage and exchange	11,091 49	
Paid taxes and internal revenue	81,666 89	
Paid commissions to agents	350,369 56	
Paid physicians' fees	20,582 23	
Paid annuities	1,465 70	
Paid return premiums	1,660 426 09	
	$4,575,063 91	
	$6,669,055 68	
	4,573,063 91	
		$2,096,991 77
		$25,457,787 56

ASSETS.

Cash on hand	$ 508,717 94	
Real estate	149,063 35	
United States securities	1,561,500 00	
State, city and county bonds	6,135,800 00	
Bonds and mortgages	10,324,302 70	
Loans on policies in force	6,852,970 00	
Loans on scrip	1,455 41	
Due for premiums in course of transmission	118,978 25	
	$25,537,787 58	
Interest due and accrued	$ 584,861 93	
Premiums due and not yet received on issues principally of November and December (of this sum $150,000 has since been received January 15, 1873)	438,681 95	973,868 83
Total assets January 1, 1873		$26,511,151 41

Ratio of Expenses to Income, (excluding taxes) 3.57 *per cent.*

The dividend of Return Premiums declared by the directors in 1872, will be paid to the assured, as their premiums fall due in 1873, in conformity with the rules of the Company.

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Feb. 22-1y

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